

SE4Ces Final Event

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Workshop 2

Educational innovations: cultivating social economy values and effective teaching methodologies



What this workshop aims for?



1. Present the SE4Ces innovative methodology and collaborative model as response to previously identified challenges, needs & shortages in HEIs



2. Reflect on pedagogical strategies & collaborative teaching/ learning methods at the heart of the overall SE philosophy and principles.



3. Discuss how these innovative methodologies can be applied in educational settings in line with SE sector needs







Long-term
cooperation
schemes between
HEIs and
community actors
is rarely achieved



There is still an absence of SE actors and students in study programmes' design

SE education remains theoretical, failing to connect students with SE enterprises and community





How can HEIs move beyond existing traditional approaches in SE education?



Introducing the SE4Ces educational innovations

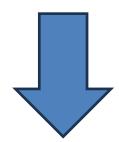
1. SE Living Labs framework



QR code to access the SE4Ces framework



The main form of interaction for the Co-creation of knowledge and the application of Collaborative education practices.



Sets the overall **methodology** for establishing a collaborative model between HEIs and SE organisations/enterprises in the field of SE.





SE4Ces suggests the establishment of *Social Economy Living Labs*, a space that boosts co-creation and collaboration between HEIs in the field of SE and SE actors to integrate real life societal issues into curricula.





Innovative approaches of SE Living labs methodology



1. **Co-creation** of knowledge and material

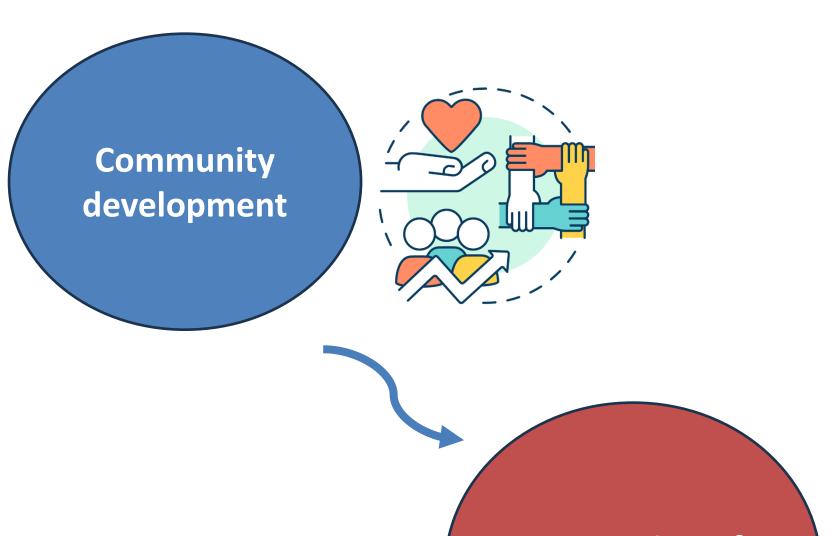
- 2. Practising coteachingmethodologies
- 3. Application of of **Service learning** (Students and SE orgs work together on future trends and challenges of the SE sector)





SE Living Labs methodology reflects upon the following values:





Co-creation of knowledge

Collaborative education practices



Connected
societies
(offering reallife experiences
within & for the
community)





Innovative teaching methodologies applied in pilots of SE4Ces Living Labs



Role playing & group exercise for practising soft skills (creativity, democratic decision making)

Students create
podcasts with SE
organisations on SErelated issues
(organizational welfare,
wage system and diversity
management)





Interactive board game on support structures for SE

Active learning of Investment readiness tool



Group brainstorming in combination with role playing

(in the context of wellbeing & collective responsibility for ethical consumption)



Business Plan Pitch





Tackling the fragmentation between HEIs and SE community



SE4ces challenges the traditional approach of teaching and learning about entrepreneurship

The added value of Living Labs training toolkit



What this toolkit aims for?

 A comprehensive tool with hands-on activities and step-by-step guidance on how to jointly prepare and run a Social Economy Living Lab

Who is this toolkit for?

 Participating universities, academic staff from Higher Education Institutions, university students, representatives & members of social economy organizations/enterprises.





Additional benefits of SE4Ces training toolkit

✓ Win-to-win practical experience for both the student and the SE enterprise
✓ Enhancement of students' employability and skills for SE job market.



Examples of SL applied projects in SE4Ces project

1. National Observatory on local social services – students analyse analyze the social and territorial dimension of development processes (Italy)

2. Research projects for SE ventures and interviews with SE community members – students discuss local challenges with SE orgs and offer sustainable and inclusive solutions (Greece)



Thank you for your attention!



Christina Galani, Stimmuli for social change



Let's continue with the panel discussion and your ideas!

